conducted to find out the quantity of milk used for manufacturing milk products.

(c) The manufacturing of milk products has to be necessarily balanced with the exegencies of fulfilling the requirement for liquid milk.

Compliance of export conditions by M/s Pepsi Food Ltd.

4048. SHRI DIPEN GHOSH: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether M/s. Pepsi Foods has complied with the export conditions and other conditions as stated in the foreign collaboration approval;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Government have given several assurances in the Parliament that all the conditions of the foreign collaboration approval will be enforced; and

(c) if so, what action has been taken so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) to (c) While the issue of compliance of export obligation by M/s. Pepsi Foods Ltd. is under consideration in the Office of Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, under the Ministry of Commerce, the fulfilment of other conditions of foreign collaboration approval is under consideration in the Ministry in consultation with Ministry of Law.

Opening of new courts

4049. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA:
SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:
SHRI JITENDRABHAI LABHSHANKER BHATT:
SHRI VITHALBHAI M. PATEL:

Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details regarding area and population of the States where more than one high courts or their separate benches are located;

(b) the details regarding area and populations of the States where the establishment of new high courts or their benches in separate location is asked and agitated for;

(c) what is the criteria for the establishment of new High Courts or separately located benches; and

(d) whether any new methodology is being worked out 40 to shorten the time duration of litigation?

THE MINISTER OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI K. VIJAYA BHASKARA REDDY): (a) and (b) The required information is contaied in the attached Statement (*See* below).

(c) There is no fixed criteria for establishment of new High Courts. Some guidelines were evolved in 1985 for setting up of Benches by a Commission headed by Shri Jaswant Singh, a retired Judge of the Supreme Court. Guidelines cover both the desirability criteria as well as the location criteria. The report was laid on the Table of the House on 20.4.87.

(d) A committee was constituted by the Govenment to study the problem of arrears in Courts and suggest remedial measures. Its recommendations have already been forwarded to all State Governments, High Courts and concerned Central Ministries for necessary follow up action.